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POWERS AND HOWARD FREE

Gov. Wilson Released Men Convicted of the Murder of Gov. Goebel.

LAYS IT ON YOUTSEY.

Paves Way For Pardons For Taylor and Finley Also.

Frankfort, Ky., June 15.—Full and free pardons were granted by Gov. Willson Saturday, to Caleb Powers, charged with the murder of William Goebel, and James Howard, convicted of the murder, and in a few minutes after the decision was announced, the two men, who have been prisoners for eight years, were released. Howard left the Frankfort penitentiary, where he has been since March, 1906, before 9 o'clock and left on the 9:50 o'clock C. & O. train for Louisville. Powers was released from the Georgetown jail almost as soon as the decision was announced, his friends having already made arrangements to get him out as soon as possible after the pardons were issued.

In his shirt sleeves and with only the grey trousers of the prison to show that he was in any way connected with the penitentiary, James Howard this morning walked the streets of Frankfort a free man for the first time since that day, eight years ago, when he surrendered to the authorities of Franklin county to answer the charge of murder. Howard walked with Dr. Ben L. Bruner, Secretary of State, who took the pardon to him, and a guard.

BUYS NEW CLOTHES.

He went to a clothing store here and bought a new suit of clothes, having declined to accept the suit which the State furnishes convicts upon their release from the penitentiary. After the clothes had been bought and a good fit obtained, Howard went to the station where he was the center of interest, a large crowd having gathered to see him.

News spreads quickly in Frankfort and the fact that a pardon had been issued was soon known all over the city and the greatest interest was shown, but there was no excitement and no demonstration. Howard was made much over by his friends and by the Republican office holders in Frankfort, nearly all the men on the

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WINFREE CASE BEING TRIED

Defendant Represented By Strong Array of Legal Talent.

STANLEY TO SPEAK.

Jury Empaneled and Taking of Testimony Is Begun.

In circuit court yesterday the case of Will P. Winfree, who killed Policeman Chas. Hord Dec. 10, was called and the trial entered into.

On the morning of Dec. 10 young Winfree was intoxicated and was arrested by Officer Hord and taken to police headquarters. He paid a fine for drunkenness and was released at once and admonished to go home. He reappeared upon the streets two or three hours later and approaching Hord near the L. & N. depot shot him, inflicting a wound from which he died the next day.

The empaneling of the jury was not completed until after noon. As finally made up it stands:

L. L. Nichols, Bartlett Yancey, J. H. Duval and Basil Roberts from the regular panel and J. C. Adcock, T. L. Yonts, Cave Johnson, T. D. Bell, Frank Mason, Jno. T. East, Jas. L. Allen and D. G. Brown from bystanders.

The prosecution is conducted by Commonwealth's Attorney Denny P. Smith and by City Attorney J. Walter Knight, who by a resolution of the city council, will assist in the prosecution, as Hord was killed while in the discharge of his duty as a policeman. The attorneys for the defense are Congressman A. O. Stanley, Joe McCarroll and C. H. Bush.

This case is the most important to be tried at this term, Winfree being charged with murder. He is a young member of the local bar, a son of Judge W. P. Winfree, and belongs to one of Hopkinsville's best families.

The deceased was a brave and fearless officer and he made a dying statement declaring that he bore the young man no malice, but only arrested him as a last resort and in the discharge of his duty, and that he was taken unawares when shot.

Drs. Woodard, Keith and Harned were the first witnesses introduced to describe the nature of Hord's wound. The prosecution introduced several witnesses to show that the attack was unexpected.

Winfree's plea will be self defense.

THE DUCKER CASE.

The next case on the docket is the suit of John Ducker against the city of Hopkinsville and the Meacham Construction Co. for alleged damages sustained last August, from driving over a pile of cinders.

You will miss it if you don't get some of those fine plants at Metcalf's while the 25 to 40 plant sale is on, will on account of favorable weather for planting continue until July 1.

DEAD MAN'S BROTHER

A Victim of the Incendiary's Torch.

Clarksville, Tenn., June 13.—A stable owned by Edmond Hunter was burned with the contents. Mr. Hunter is a brother of Rufus Hunter, who was called to his door Saturday night and shot down in cold blood by unknown assassins. Mr. Hunter lives about one and a half miles from his brother's place, is a good Association man and is at loss to understand what has caused the work of destruction.

Pinesalve Carbolic acts like a poultice. Quick relief for bites and sting of insects, chapped skin, cuts, burns and sores, tan and sunburn. Sold by Anderson-Fowler Drug Co. Incorporated.

THE EDITORS ARE COMING.

Journalists of Kentucky To Visit Hopkinsville In a Body.

BE HERE WEDNESDAY.

Kentucky Press Association Is In Session at Cerulean Springs This Week.

Representatives from practically all of the newspapers of Kentucky, with their wives, daughters and sweethearts, are at Cerulean Springs this week holding the annual session of the Association. They began arriving yesterday and the first round-up was held last night, about 125 being present. Besides the newspaper men, every paper company doing business in the state will have one or more representatives on the scene to contribute their share toward the success of the meeting.

At Cerulean all is in readiness for the guests and nothing will be left undone to make them have the time of their lives. The meeting will last through the week. The event of the meeting will be the banquet Thursday night, at which E. A. Jonas, of the Henderson Journal, will act as toastmaster.

Wednesday afternoon and evening will be spent in Hopkinsville as the guests of the city. Elaborate preparations have been made here for the entertainment of the guests and supper will be served them at the Hotel Latham.

The following lists of speakers have been arranged for the meetings to be held to-morrow in honor of the visiting editors:

At Mogul Wagon Factory, Mayor Chas. M. Meacham, address of welcome; Judge W. T. Fowler and Mr. W. A. Wilgus. Responses by newspaper men.

At Western Asylum, Dr. J. W. Stephens, Hon. John C. Duffy and Judge J. T. Hanberry.

At Hotel Latham, Rev. C. H. H. Branch, Prof. H. Clay Smith, Col. Jouett Henry, Rev. M. A. Jenkins, Mr. T. C. Underwood and City Attorney J. Walter Knight.

The speeches are all expected to be short, not exceeding more than five or ten minutes.

Those at the hotel will be after supper, as a part of the informal reception that will last from 8 to 10:30 o'clock.

A good many of the editors passed through the city yesterday and went down to Cerulean at 11:20.

Col. E. Polk Johnson, one of the old-timers, who was here in 1878, came in Sunday night and will be in the party.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lawrence, of Cadiz, came up yesterday to meet the party here and escort them to Cerulean.

Official Program

FIRST SESSION.

Welcome address, Henry R. Lawrence. Response, Lew B. Brown, President K. P. A.

Annual poem, Tim Needham. Round Table—How to Secure Mechanical Excellence, led by Ben Cozine.

SECOND SESSION.

The Press and Development of Kentucky, Col. W. B. Haldeman. The Importance of the Editorial Page, C. C. Givens.

Should the Subscription of a Country Paper be on a Cash Basis? Dan Bowmar.

The Effects of Rural Free Delivery on Circulation of Newspapers, C. F. Hart.

How the Newspaper Can Help the Public School, E. A. Gullion.

Round Table—The Advertiser, How to Get Him, How to Hold Him and How to Treat Him, G. F. Friel.

THIRD SESSION.

Our Libel Laws and How to Have

TICKET MAY BE TAFT-DOLLIVER

Republicans Gather For Convention In Chicago To-day.

FOREGONE CONCLUSION.

Vice President's Race The Only Thing Not Yet Settled.

Chicago, Ill., June 15.—The Republican National Convention will meet to-morrow to place in nomination candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. State delegations were arriving all day, the political headquarters were wide open and important conferences were in progress among the managers. The crowds arriving are not so large or so enthusiastic as at previous Republican conventions.

With Taft a sure winner, the vice presidential contest continues to be the most enlivening feature of the preliminary work and the delegates are as much in doubt tonight as at any time since the contest began. Dolliver element appears to be making the greatest advance, and this gave rise to-day to reports that the Dolliver movement was now assured of success. The friends of other candidates were far from admitting this, and began maturing plans for decisive action. A call from the New York delegation has been issued. This is expected to develop the strength of the various New York names, Sherman, Woodruff, Cortelyou and possibly Low.

Them Modified, Lew B. Brown.

The Ideal Country Paper and How to Make It, A. D. Miller.

The Good Roads Movement and How the Press Can Help, John B. Gaines.

The Popularity Contest as a Subscription Builder, J. W. Lemon.

Round Table—What's the Matter With Kentucky? Led by Tom Underwood.

FOURTH SESSION.

The Newspaper Laws and How They Affect Publishers, S. M. Jenkins. How to Secure Good Country Correspondents, C. C. Pare.

Reminiscences of the Kentucky Press, Green R. Kellar.

How to Build Up Your Town, E. J. Paxton.

Round Table—Does it Pay to Run a Newspaper? Led by Tim Needham.

FIFTH SESSION.

Importance of Giving Correct Reports of All Items, J. W. Hedden.

How Newspaper Men Can Help Each Other, Harry McCarty.

Round Table—Some of the Unreasonable Things an Editor is Asked to do and How to Deal With Them, led by Wm. Remington.

E. Barry, Chairman; H. A. Sommers and Paul M. Moore, Committee.

SQUIRREL SEASON

Opened Yesterday Until February 1.

The close season of the squirrel law expired yesterday and sportsmen are now at liberty to kill them until the first of next February.

The law of Kentucky provides that between February 1 and June 15, nobody shall shoot squirrels, while the balance of the year their slaughter is permissible. A close season is established in order to prevent their extinction as far as possible, by the hunters.

Barbecued Dinner.

The Christian County Medical Society will entertain the doctors of adjoining counties at Fleming's Cave Tuesday, June 16 (today) with a barbecued dinner.

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